Attorney's Docket No: EE AUTHORIZATION / AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER A-345C Filing Date Examiner Group Art Unit 09/366,133 August 2, 1999 G. Draper 1647 In Re Application of Pelleymounter et al. For OB Protein Compositions and Methods TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Applicant requests the following extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a): One month of original due date (\$110.00) Two months of original due date (\$390.00) Three months of original due date (\$890.00) Four months of original due date (\$1,390.00) Five months of original due date (\$1,890.00) A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested: is filed herewith. ☐ has been filed. The response is the filing of a continuing prosecution application, the prior application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application. The accompanying papers include amended claims for which no additional fee is required. The accompanying papers include amended claims the fee for which has been calculated as follows: **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** (1) (2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)Claims remaining No. of Extra Highest number Additonal After amendment Previously paid for claims present Rate Fee **Total Claims** Minus \$18 \$ 0.00 0 X Indep. Claims Minus 0 \$80 0.00 X First Appearance of a multiple dependent claim \$270 0.00 + = Total Additional Fee for this Amendment \$0.00 If the entry in column 2 is less than the entry in column 4, write "0" in column 5. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Indep.) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in Col 1. of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed. The following other fees are incurred by the accompanying papers. Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-0519 in the name of Amgen Inc. in the amount of \$1,890.00. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached. ☑ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefore. Mark The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by the accompanying papers, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-0519. Please Send Future Correspondence To: US Patent Operations/JDE Dept. 4300, M/S 27-4-A oan D. Eggert Attorney for Applicant MARKER INCO00002 010519 09366133 05/11/2001 One Amgen Center Drive Thousand Oaks, California 91320-1799 Registration No.:32,980 Phone: (805) 447-1256 Date: May 3, 2001

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